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Introductory Comments

This paper is being filed in response to the Office Action mailed on July 13, 2004 ("Office Action"). Applicant herein cancels rejected claims 1-3, 8, and 10-26 without prejudice. Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner expedite issuance of allowed claims 4-7 and 9.